



COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE COMPENSATION AND
LIABILITY ACT

14-25. Notification of Trustees

1. **AUTHORITY.** Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended, including Sections 104(b)(2), 107(f)(2)(B), and 122(j)(1), to notify appropriate federal and state natural resource trustees of: Potential damages to natural resources resulting from releases of hazardous substances, pollutants, or contaminants, and to coordinate assessments, investigations, and planning with such trustees.
2. **TO WHOM DELEGATED.**
 - a. With respect to remedial sites, the Superfund remedial branch chief, the Superfund remedial section chiefs, and remedial project managers.
 - b. With respect to removal sites, the Emergency management branch chief, the Emergency Management section chiefs, and on-scene coordinators, and site assessment managers.
3. **LIMITATIONS.** None.
4. **REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.**
 - a. The authorities may be redelegated to the staff level.
 - b. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.
5. **ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.** National Contingency Plan, 40 C.F.R. Part 300.



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